PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

if re the Application of:

SAHASHI et al.

Art Unit: 3629

Application No.: 09/735,664

Examiner: G. Binda

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Attorney Dkt. No.: 100725-000

For: DRIVE WHEEL BEARING ASSEMBLY

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

January 28, 2003

Sir:

Applicants petition for an extension of time for one (1) month for response to the outstanding Office Action dated October 4, 2002 from January 4, 2003 to February 4, 2003.

Attached is our check in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the fee for the extension. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 01-2300.

Respectfully submitted,

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